



**First State Community Loan Fund  
Wilmington, DE**

<b>Project Title</b>	Delawareans Save!
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<b>AFI Grant Amount</b>	\$500,000
<b>Nonfederal Support</b>	\$500,000
<b>Project Period</b>	September 2001 – September 2006
<b>Highlights</b>	First State Community Loan Fund is offering 379 IDAs for homeownership, post-secondary education, or microenterprise. The match rate is \$1 to \$1 with a maximum match of \$1,500. In addition to core training, services include childcare, peer support, counseling, credit repair, and specialized financial education.
<b>Target Population</b>	State of Delaware.
<b>Grantee/Collaborative Description</b>	First State Community Loan Fund (FSCLF) is a Community Development Financial Institution established in 1994. FSCLF is heading up a large collaborative of community providers in operating the AFI Project. There are five partner agencies: YWCA of New Castle County, Nehemiah Gateway CDC, Interfaith Housing DE, NCALL Research, and First State Community Action Agency. Artisans' Bank and the Wilmington Trust Company are the financial institution partners.